Attorney Docket No.

034182-002

MS AMENDMENTS

In re Patent Application of Catherina Svanborg et al.

Application No.: 09/554,704

Filing Date:

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Sir:

Title: LACTALBUMIN PRODUCTION PROCESS

Group Art Unit: 1653

Examiner: Hope A. Robinson

Confirmation No.: 3220

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Enc	losed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.							
	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.							
	Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\Bigsq \$65.00 (2814) \$\Bigsq \$130.00 (1814)\$ fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. \§ 1.20(d) are also enclosed.							
	Also enclosed is/are							
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.							
	Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$395.00 (2801) \$790.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).							
	Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.							
	Applicant(s) previously submitted							
	on, for which continued examination is requested.							
	Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.							
	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.							

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No additional claim fee is required. An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	49	MINUS	57	=	0	×	\$50.00 ((1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	6	MINUS	6	=	0	×	\$200.00 ((1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds m	nultiple depen	dent claim	s, add	2 t	360.00 (1203)				
Total Claim Amendment Fee						\$ 0.00			
Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee						\$ 0.00			
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT							\$ 0.00		

A check in the amount	of	is enclosed for the fee due.
Charge	to Deposit Accou	nt No. 02-4800.
Charge	to credit card. F	orm PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

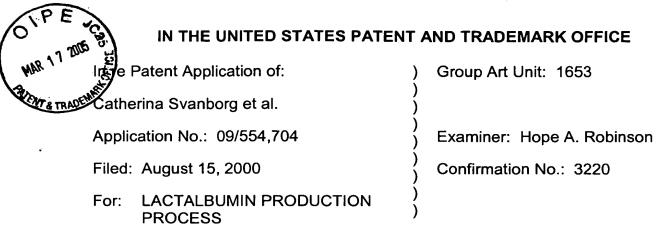
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

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Sir:

In complete response to the Office Action mailed on February 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: